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SUBJECT: INDIAN FOREIGN SECRETARY'S QUERY ON U.S. SALE
OF ARMS TO PAKISTAN

REF: A) STATE 71586 (NOTAL), B) NEW DELHI 4629

1. CERTIFICATION TO CONGRESS RE THE PROPOSED SALE FOR PAKISTAN INVOLVES AN EXPORT LICENSE ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT'S OFFICE OF MUNITIONS CONTROL. UNDER SECTION 36(C) OF ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT, THIS CERTIFICATION MUST BE PROVIDED TO CONGRESS 30 DAYS BEFORE EXPORT LICENSE CAN BE ISSUED.
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2. THUS IT WILL BE APPROXIMATELY MAY 1 AT EARLIEST BEFORE A LICENSE CAN BE ISSUED FOR THE EXPORT OF PARTS TO PAKISTAN. THEREFORE, DURING THE INTERVENING PERIOD WE WOULD PREFER THAT THE GOI NOT SAY ANYTHING PUBLICLY IN PARLIAMENT. HOWEVER, IF NECESSARY WE CAN AGREE ONLY WITH THE FOLLOWING FORMULATION: QUOTE PRESS REPORTS

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HAVE INDICATED THAT THE U.S. HAS UNDER CONSIDERATION SALES OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT FOR A NUMBER OF COUNTRIES INCLUDING PAKISTAN. WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE SALE TO PAKISTAN REFERS TO AN ONGOING PROGRAM WHICH GOES BACK SEVERAL YEARS AND INVOLVES THE RETROFITTING

OF OLD EQUIPMENT -- NOT NEW EQUIPMENT -- ALREADY IN THE PAKISTAN INVENTORY. UNQUOTE.
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